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16. SUMMARY: This report forwards an article from the Sankei News dated 22 March 1980 titled "USSR Attacks with Poison Gases?". The article was dispatched from PAKISTAN on 21 March 1980 by Mr. Ryotaro OZAKI, the Asahi correspondent in PESHAWAR. The report of chemical weapons being used came from one Mr. ISMAIL, a 25-year old school teacher that arrived in the PESHAWAR refugee camp earlier this month. He claims that 250 of the 200,000 people in his city of SHEGAL died from the chemical attack. The attacks began on 29 Feb with 2 MIGs, 200 helicopters (including the new Model ME-24), and 700 tanks. In March, the attacks intensified, the USSR forces destroyed Mosques and schools. Young girls were reported to have taken their own lives in fear of the paratroopers that were dropped into the area. Mr. ISMAIL said that two types of chemical agents were used and described the symptoms as follows: The first; 1) Heavy tearing, 2) Nausea, 3) Yellowing of skin, 4) Death. The second; 1) Immediate unconsciousness, 2) Death within 30 min. It is believed that these attacks were sent to interrupt or stop					
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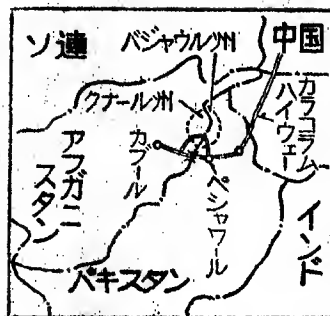
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アフガン北東部のシェガール村で

ソ連軍が毒ガス？攻撃

250人虐殺



中国武器輸送ルートとゲリラの流入封鎖狙う

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【ベシヤワール（パキスタン）二十一日】尾崎龍太郎特派員「アフガニスタン国境に接するパキスタン北東部バジャウル州のほぼ全土は、最近難民蜂起による、ソ連軍がアフガニスタン北東部クナール州のシェガール村に占拠した。この村は、アフガニスタンの中国側から、中国武器が流入している。このカラコルム・ハイウェイに連なるシェガール村は、ソ連軍に占拠されたものと思われる。」

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fugees have been encamped in it. 12,000 of them came in the camp after 1 Mar when USSR Army attacked the kunal area. Mr. ISMAIL (25 years old), a primary school instructor of the village and the Shinuwari (phonetic) tribe of the Patan (phonetic) race, told ^{his} the reporter that when they began the Friday morning prayer on 29 February, two MIGs raided first and then 200 hlicopters including the latest new Model ^{M1-24} ~~M1-24~~ made 2nd wave attacks as well as 700 tanks attacked the village after the air raids. In the early part of March USSR forces attack the village more intensified and they destroyed Mosques, schools and houses completely, so the villagers were all dispersed in deep moutain areas. Mr. ISMAIL's group about 1000 people proceeded along the Kunal (phonetic) River by Charas(phonetic)(a kind of boat made of wood frames and sheepskin)to a place and made over pass the Gafee (phonetic) Mt. path (approx. 2500m high) of the Duland (phonetic) Mt. range and they arrived in the camp on 12 March.

Mr. ISMAIL continued he thought USSR used two kinds of poison gases to attack the village, e. g., people who got the poison ^{poisoned} ~~made them~~ flow, feel sick and ^{their} skin color turn yellow and then died, and another kind of poison made people fall unconscious and ^{them} died within half an hour. The total killed people ~~are~~ ^{about} 250 ~~persons~~ and most of them are children, female and aged ones. The paratroopers dropped in the area made violences to the young girls on the streets.

Many young girls ~~were~~ killed themselves with knives and jumped into the river which is cold (below zero) because they feared of the violences by the atheists of Russian troops.

The Shegal Village is located on the foot of Duland Mountain Range and the other side of the mountain range is PAKISTAN, so the villagers could ~~go~~ over ~~the~~ pass ~~the~~ range to PAKISTAN side. Chitorial (phonetic) is located approximately 60 or 70 km north of the Mt. pass Gafee and the village is the destination of the highway (military use) from Karakoram and the highway was constructed the year before last by PRC. PRC Army is said to have a military station in Gilgit (phonetic) in Kashmir and the highway connecting PRC and PAKISTAN passes the Gilgit. Arms flow in AFGHANISTAN through the highway which is ~~in~~ ^{under/} deep snow, they said, therefore, USSR attacked the highway and the Shegal Village to stop arms supplies.

The highway is also used for sending guerrillas of "Hesbi. Isrami. AFGHANI- (HIA) STAN" which is a PAKISTAN Guerrilla, Military and Political Organization, and the HQ of the organization is located in PAKISTAN. The organization is sending Jamiding (phonetic) which means "Freedom Fighters" to the Kunal area through the highway. USSR forces are considered to have control ^{of} the area and the USSR attacks killed the commander of HIA and the commander of Kashmir, Kan (phonetic), it said.

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~~Karakoram, Peshawar, Mar 80~~

USSR ATTACKS WITH POISON GASES ?

Shegal (phonetic) Village, N-E AFGHANISTAN

For Blockade of Guerrillas and Arms' Routes from PAKISTAN and PRC

"250 Slaughtered"

(Disptched on 21 Mar 80 by Ryotaro OZAKI, Asahi Correspondant in Peshawar, PAKISTAN):

According to information interview^{ed} with ~~the~~ AFGHAN refugees from the Shegal Village, Kunal (phonetic) State, north-east of AFGHANISTAN to Peshawar (phonetic), the north-east frontier state of PAKISTAN, USSR Airforce attaked carpet raids and bombed with poison gases in the Shegal Village and killed 250 of 20,000 villagers. The attacks might be aimed ~~to bomb the village~~ to block the guerrilla and arms routes from PAKISTAN and PRC, and the village is located on the road junction of the route to PAKISTAN through which guerrillas are infiltrating with the highway to Karakoram by which PRC arms are flowing in AFGHANISTAN.

The Peshawar refugee camp was opened in February this year and 47,700 re-